

NETWORK SIGNATURE

The Network Signature is yet another piece of information that helps identify you to other MailMan users. It consists of three separate lines of information. MailMan allows you to enter your own Network Signature. You must enter a Network Signature in order to use the "Answer" command on a message.



*For more information on the "Answer" command, please refer to the "Answer ('A') Action" topic in Chapter 3 in the "MailMan V. 7.1 & Patch XM*7.1*50 User Manual."*

Where is Your Network Signature Displayed?

The Network Signature field is used when a user chooses to "Answer" a message rather than "Reply" to a message or uses the Network Signature (NS) action code to append a Network Signature to a message before sending it.



*For more information on the "Network Signature" command, please refer to the "Network Signature ('NS') Action" topic in Chapter 4 in the "MailMan V. 7.1 & Patch XM*7.1*50 User Manual."*

The "Answer" command issues a new message to send to the sender of the original message. This new message will contain the three lines of your Network Signature, which will appear at the end of your answer, as shown below:

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Enter message action (in TEST basket): IGNORE// a
Subject: Re: Test// <RET>
Copying original message and network signature...
You may edit the text of the message...

==[ WRAP ]==[ INSERT ]=====< Re: Test >===== [ <PF1>H=Help ]=====
>Original Msg: 'Test' From: BLUE,THOMAS E.
>
>here is a test

Here is my answer.

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Thom Blue
Technical Writer
San Francisco CIO Field Office

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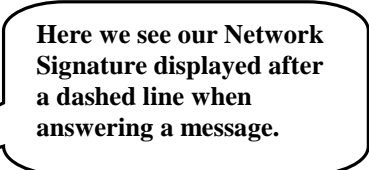


Figure 51: Including Your Network Signature When Answering a Message



MailMan generates the dashed line preceding your Network Signature.

This is how the message would appear to the recipient:

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Subj: Re: Test  [#1222500] 29 Jul 98 11:29  12 lines
From: BLUE,THOMAS E. - COMPUTER SPECIALIST (San Francisco CIO Field Office)
In 'IN' basket.   Page 1
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>Original Msg: 'Test' From: BLUE,THOMAS E.
>
>here is a test
```

Here is my answer.

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Thom Blue
Technical Writer
San Francisco CIO Field Office
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Enter message action (in IN basket): IGNORE//
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Figure 52: An Example Displaying the Network Signature Lines